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AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION

In response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2005, please reconsider the above-

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identified application amended as follows:

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 No Additional Fee is Required

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AMENDMENTS

If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.

If checked, an amended abstract is submitted herewith.

If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.

If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.

as well as original claims 2-17, and 9-33, and new claims 36 and 39, are dependent on allowable claim 1 or 18, and are patentable for the reason stated above.

In view of the foregoing, favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited.

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BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))		
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))		

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TOTAL
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RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
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